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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed November 21, 2003, please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks. A petition to extend the shortened statutory period for response by one month accompanies this amendment.